## FIGURE 1-1

## SAMPLE LETTER OF EXPLANATION FOR NO OTHER OPTIONS ASSIGNMENT

## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Subj: LETTER OF EXPLANATION ICO (OFFICER'S NAME/RANK/SSN/DESIG)

- 1. This memorandum is to alert statutory and administrative boards to the special nature of the assignment of ( $\underline{\text{officer's name}}$ ) to ( $\underline{\text{command and location}}$ ) due to the needs of the Navy.
- 2. Although this assignment might be considered out of the mainstream of (officer's name) professional development, it was absolutely necessary due to higher priority requirements. This was a bona fide "needs of the service" detail. This assignment must be viewed favorably and positively with regard to (officer's name) overall performance record and the sensitive nature of the billet. (Provide additional background information or tailor specific detail above as necessary.)
- 3. PERS-313 will ensure this memorandum for the record is entered on the appropriate microfiche.

(PERS-4 signature)

Copy to:
Officer
Appropriate NPC Assignment Division
PERS-313